## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE REQUEST FOR FILING NATIONAL PATENT APPLICATION

Under 35 USC 111(a) and Rule 53(b)

Hon. Commissioner of Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

WITH SIGNED DECLARATION



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Herewith is the  $\underline{\sf PATENT}$  APPLICATION of Inventor(s): MILLER et al.

Title DATA POOL WITH VALIDITY DETECTION

		Atty. Dkt.: _F	249747	P13068	
			M#	Client Ref	
including:		Date: January 31, 2002	:		
1. Specification: 29 pa	Specification: 29 pages (only spec. and claims) 2.   Specification in non-English language				
3. Declaration Original	□ Facsimile/Copy     □ At	ostract 1 page	e(s);	29 numbered claims	
4 Drawings: 12		☐ formal of			
5. See top first page re prior	Provisional, National or Internatio	nal application(s). ("X" b	ox only if info is t	here and do not	
complete item 6 or 7).	(Prior M#	8	SN	)	
6-This application claims benefit	it of the following prior US applicat	ion(s), the contents of wi	hich are incorpor	ated into this application	
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No. PC	CT / filed			, Which	
designated the US and that Inte	mational Application  was	was not published	d under PCT Arti	cle 21(2) in English	
PROS.					
See the attached Prelimin	nary Amendment, which amends th	ne specification to claim t	benefit of the abo	ove listed US	
application(s)					
	it and cover sheet. Please return		. •	ned.	
9. Assignee (optional):					
Address					
	under 35 USC 119(a)-(d)/365(b)	based on filing in			
11			(country)		
Application No.	Filing Date	Application No.	Filing	Date	
(1)		(2)			
(3)		(4)			
(5)		(6)			
(7)		(8)			
(9)		See 3rd page fr	or additional prio	rties	
12. (No.) Certified c	opy (copies): attached;	previously filed (da	nte)		
	on No. /	filed on	,		
13. Small entity status		is claimed (Pre-filing	confirmation req	uired)	
	(No.) Small Entity Statement(s)				
	ON REQUEST under Rule 213(a)				

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14. <u>DOMESTIC/INTERNATIONAL</u> priority is claimed under 35 USC 119(e)/120/365(c) based on the following provisional, popprovisional and/or PCT international application(s):

Application No.	Filing Date	Application No.	Filing Date
(1)	1	(4)	
(2)		(5)	
(3)		(6)	

<ol> <li>This application is being filed under Rule 53(b)(2) since an inventor is named in the enclose</li> </ol>	ed Declaration who was not
named in the prior application.	

16. Attached:

17. Preliminary Amendment:

THE FOLLOWING FILING FEE IS BASED ON CLAIMS AS FILED LESS ANY ABOVE CANCELLED						
THE FOLLOWING FILING FEE IS BASED ON CLAIMS AS FILE			Large/Small Entity		Fee Code	
48. Basic Filing Fee			\$740/\$370	\$740	101/201	
19. Total Effective Claims	29	minus 20 =	*9	x \$18/\$9 =	+ 162	103/203
20. Independent Claims	6	minus 3 =	*3	x \$84/\$42 =	+ 252	102/202
"If answer is zero or less, enter "0"						
21. If any proper multiple dependent claim (ignore improper) is present, add			+ \$280/\$140	+0	104/204	
(Leave this line blank if this is a reissue application)					Í	
22. TOTAL FILING FEE ENCLOSE				ING FEE ENCLOSED =	\$1154	
23. If "non-English" box 2 is X'd, add Rule 17(k) processing fee			+ \$130	+0	139	
24. If "assignment" box 8 is X'd, add recording fee			+ \$40	+ 40	581	
25. Attached is a Petition/Fee under Rule No.			+ \$130	+0	122	
26. TOTAL FEE ENCLOSED =			\$1194			

Our Deposit Acc	count No. 03-3975		
Our Order No.	81674	249747	
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CHARGE STATEMENT: The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fee specifically authorized hereafter, or any missing or insufficient fee(s) filed. or asserted to be filed, or which should have been filed herewith or concerning any paper filed hereafter, and which may be required under Rules 16-18 (missing or insufficient fee) application and the resulting Official document under Rule 20, or credit any overpayment, to our Account/Order Nos, shown above for which purpose a duplicate copy of this stheet is attached.

This CHARGE STATEMENT <u>does not authorize</u> charge of the <u>issue fee</u> until/unless an issue fee transmittal form is filed.

Pillsbury Winthrop LLP

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